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12.05 p. m., Boston, New York, Pittsfield, and Southern Maine, via Springfield and Way Stations on Fitchburg R. R.; 1.30, Florida, Mass., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 2.35, Pittsfield, 4.45, New York, Southern and Western States, 5.55, Worcester, Springfield, Holyoke, Connecticut, Rhode Island and Southern Maine, 7.00, Troy, Williamstown, Williamstown and Blackinton, 8.05, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire, Rhode Island and Way Mail via Fitchburg R. R., 9.15, Boston & Albany R. R., Way Stations on Fitchburg, 11.30, Boston.
SUNDAY—9 a. m., Way Stations on Boston & Albany R. R., New York City and Troy, N. Y.

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8 a. m., Boston, Pittsfield, Adams, New York, Albany and Southern Maine, 9.45, New York, Albany, Troy, Williamstown, Williamstown Station, Blackinton, Southern and Western States, 9.15, New York, Albany and all points West and South via Boston & Albany R. R., 9.35, Boston, Canada, Readsboro, and all points East via Fitchburg R. R.; 10.30, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire and Rhode Island, 11.00, Pittsfield, Adams, Zerkowite and Southern Berkshire, 11.35, New York City and all points West, 11.55, Boston and East, New York and West, South.
1.50 p. m., Burlington, Mass., Stamford, Hartfordville, a d Readsboro, Vt.; Florida, Mass., Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, 2.45, New York City, Southern States, Worcester, Springfield, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Eastern and Southern Maine, 4.25, Boston and East via Fitchburg R. R., 4.30, Troy, and all points West and South, 7.45, Boston, New York City and all points East, West, North and South; reaches New York at 8 p. m., 11.15, Boston and East, New York and West, South.
SUNDAY—7 p. m., New York, Boston, Maine, New Hampshire, and all points West and South.
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CARRIAGE WINDOW SERVICE from 7 to 9 p. m., SUNDAY DELIVERY 9 to 10 a. m.

SUBURBAN NEWS.

Happenings of Interest in Our Neighbor Towns.

ADAMS.

Sunday Liquor Raids.

Early yesterday morning Officers Curran, Hodecker and Hiler made three liquor raids, and were successful in one. The first place they visited was Joseph Terdy's in Sebastopol, where they found about two quarts of whisky. The other places were Charles Murphy's and Dolphus Bessillon at Edmund's ground. Nothing to indicate selling could be found.

Wouldn't Return the Kegs.

Saturday evening the young dummy formerly employed at Boulger's bottling establishment, informed Special Officer Dwyer that a woman had bought beer from the place some time ago and refused to return the kegs. He wanted the woman arrested at once, but by means of signs was told by the officer he could not do so without a warrant. The complainant was unable to swear out one and the woman will be safe in keeping the kegs until someone else interferes.

The Improvements on Dean Street.

After the change of Dean street, which will probably be made, the street will be, according to the town warrant, as follows: "Beginning at a point in the north line of Centre street, at a point distant 141 feet from the southwest corner of Collin's block, and 131 feet from the northwest corner of Smith's block, thence south 77 degrees east 483.6 feet over a tract of ground known as Dean's lane to lands of the Renfrew Manufacturing company; thence same course 336.4 feet over lands of said Renfrew Manufacturing company to an angle thence north 13 degrees east across the Hoosac river 77.75 feet to lands of F. S. Todd; thence same course over said Todd's land 127.75 feet to the center of Spring street." This will make it one of the best business streets of the town. It affords a good passage to Summer street, thus putting that section in closer connection with the business part. Among the necessary improvements will be the tearing down of a part of Henry L. Tucker's residence, moving back other houses and the construction of an iron bridge to Spring street.

Bishop Beaven Preached.

The members of St. Charles' church were afforded a good opportunity yesterday to hear the bishop of their diocese. Bishop Beaven was at the vesper service at 3.30 o'clock, and delivered a very striking sermon on the sacred heart of Jesus. The attendance was large and everybody enjoyed the discourse. This was done at the request of Father Moran.

Stole Ten Dollars.

Emil Cardinal gained the distinction this morning of being the first criminal to come before the fourth Berkshire district court. He was arrested on the charge of larceny. The facts of the case are that a week ago Sunday Cardinal and others, among them a North Adams man, went fishing, and when the Tunnel City man baited his hook, he laid his pocketbook and other things on the ground. He missed the wallet when he went to look for it a little later, and a search was made. It was noticed that Cardinal was not as earnest in the search as his companions. The owner of the purse stated there was ten dollars in it and some lodge papers which he would not lose for thirty dollars. It was Cardinal who did the stealing and his conscience troubled him so much that Monday afternoon he went to Williamstown and sent the papers to the owner by mail. He was arrested a little later and confessed his guilt. In his pocket was found opened letters, which he had taken from the postoffice for the Harrington family, it being known that he was working in Jerome Harrington's livery stable. In one of them was a money order for five dollars. He pleaded guilty and was sentenced to four months' imprisonment in the house of correction.

Confirmation at Notre Dame.

Bishop Beaven confirmed a class of 196 at the church of Notre Dame last evening. The services began at 7.30 o'clock, the bishop being assisted by Rev. Fathers Marcoux of Williamstown and Moran. The altars were nicely trimmed with flowers and the white dress and long veils of the children made a very pretty spectacle. A large crowd filled the church. Vespers were celebrated by Rev. Father Rioux of North Adams, Rev. Father Lavigne of Albany, deacon, and Rev. Father Coyne, subdeacon, master of ceremonies, Rev. Father Lavigne. The other priests present were, Rev. Fathers Genet of North Adams and Grenier of Fitchburg. Yesterday morning a mass was celebrated for the children at 10.30 o'clock by the bishop and at 10.40 o'clock a solemn high mass was said Father Lavigne being celebrant, Father Triguene deacon and Father Coyne subdeacon. The music at all the services was very fine, the regular choir being assisted by Misses Sara and Libbie Doyle and Frank McNulty. Stearns' mass was sung at the 10.30 o'clock service, Miss Libbie

Doyle singing "Ave Maria." The evening music comprised Fish's respers, with the following solos: Verdi's "O Salutaris," Miss Libbie Doyle; a solo by Mrs. Rose's Dourriere, and Edward Riley.

Miss Josephine Bessette and Francis Bevin will be married at the Notre Dame church tomorrow morning.

Michael Powers of Renfrew, captain and catcher of the Holy Cross college baseball nine, will play with the Warren, Me., nine during the summer.

The party arranged to ascend Greylock yesterday postponed the trip.

Richard Herold, who broke his arm recently, returned to his work on Kneipher's baker cart.

The high school class of '95 are considering a class reunion to be held in a short time.

Rev. A. B. Penniman, pastor of the Congregational church, has inaugurated a very good thing in setting apart certain hours of each week for religious discussion. This evening he will be in his study from 7 to 10 for such discussion with anyone who desires to visit him.

The lawn party of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor was held on the lawn of the old B. P. Phillips' residence, instead of at John L. Barker's, as was advertised. The party was very successful.

Thomas Moriarty and Frank Stetson, formerly of this town, are playing baseball with the Woonsocket, R. I., nine, and are doing good work.

Special masses will be held at St. Charles church on Thursday, the Fourth of July. They will be held at 6 and 8 o'clock on that morning. Confessions will be heard in the afternoon and on Friday morning masses will be at 4.45 and 8 o'clock a. m.

James Shields of Fairfield spent Sunday in town.

At their regular monthly meeting yesterday, Division 3, A. O. H., accepted an invitation to attend the field day of Division 4 at North Adams which takes place Thursday.

The Renfrews were defeated by the Stanleys at Pittsfield Saturday, by a score of 16 to 8. Cain of North Adams pitched the first four innings for Renfrew and was hit hard. Morton, who went into the box at this point, did effective work. The teams will meet on the Renfrew grounds next Saturday.

The Renfrews will have a strong nine at North Adams Thursday afternoon.

James McGowan of Read college is at home for the rest of the summer.

William McGowan left this morning for a two weeks' vacation in Boston.

Bert Miller has returned to town and will conduct a rehearsal of "The Girl Spy" every evening until Thursday, when the first production will occur. The advertising program has been completed.

CHESHIRE.

The reception this evening to the graduates by the alumni will be held at Dean's hall, and the Sons of Temperance dining rooms will be used for the refreshments, that will consist of ice cream and cake. Brothers' orchestra of Adams will furnish the music. The alumni has thirty-seven members at present, and there is expected to be 150 persons present.

J. Nyeda, a Japanese, is stopping at the "Cedars." He is connected with a trading firm in New York.

Mrs. W. R. Holcomb of Fairfield is spending the season at A. F. Viner's.

A kicking colt upon our streets, while being broke to drive, yesterday made a show of heels that was just a bit exhilarating to bystanders.

Farnum Brothers turned out for the past two months 9680 barrels; that shows their work to be crowded. This firm is supplying a New York party with 100 barrels a day of superior goods for use in making hard finish walls.

Ward Brown, who keeps a few horses to let, had one driven to Hancock yesterday, but when it came back it didn't just the same. The driver it seems, had hitched up a different horse, but he said it was the one he found in the same stall. It will be useless to say that the livery man was not pleased with his horse letting arrangements.

Mrs. H. E. Foster went to Boston Saturday.

The "Cedars," the late arrivals are, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Archer and Miss M. W. O'Quinn of New York city.

Mrs. Thomas Courtney and children of Brooklyn are at T. McCormick's, and Mat. McCormick and wife of Pittsfield spent the day with the above party.

A cottage prayer meeting will be held this evening at Del Viner's.

Rev. E. N. Harding spends this day at Lansingburgh, N. Y.

WILLIAMSTOWN.

Miss Susie Noyes has gone to Lee, where she will remain for a week or two with friends.

Miss Catherine Townsend, who has been the guest of Miss Florence G. Cole, has gone to Lake Champlain.

W. A. R. Wilson, '92, is spending a week in town.

Prof. Hewitt and family left town this morning for New London, where they will spend the summer.

Mr. Ludlow of Albany has rented Prof. Hewitt's house for the summer. The family arrived in town today.

The second American pilgrimage to the old world will start from New York on the Westernland, July 10. Among those who have secured passages is Rev. Father O'Sullivan of this town.

The bans of marriage, between Miss Nellie Mahanny and John Poland, were published yesterday morning for the first time in St. Patrick's church.

E. L. Watson and family have vacated the Lally house on Hoxie avenue, and have taken rooms in Mr. Austin's house on Spring street. Mr. Watson will occupy one of the new houses on the Wells' property when finished.

Prof. Dale has hired the Lally house on Hoxie avenue.

Miss Mary O'Brien of Blackinton spent Sunday in town with relatives.

Lewis Perry has gone to Northfield where he will spend a few days, and attend the meetings of a convention which will take place there this week.

Joseph L. Scott spent Sunday out of town.

E. R. Vail of Troy who had just moved into Prof. Mearns' house for the summer, passed quietly away Saturday night about eight o'clock. Mr. Vail had not been feeling well for some time back, but was able to be out until a few days ago.

Mr. Medrick Simmons, who has been in the employ of Z. H. Tyler, has gone to St. Albans where he formerly lived.

James Goggins of Pittsfield, was in town Sunday on business.

Rev. M. A. O'Sullivan has purchased a house and wagon of M. Simmons.

Ezra R. Vail of Troy, N. Y., died suddenly yesterday morning of paralysis.

For the past two years he has been unable to attend to his business, but was able to be about until Saturday when he received two paralytic shocks. During the sum-

mer season Mr. Vail had rented the Mearns' cottage, at which place he died, aged 48. The notice of his death was received with great sadness by his many friends. He is survived by two brothers, a widow and four children. The funeral will occur Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Hopkins, with their son and daughter, are the guests of Mrs. Denison.

Miss Florence Bascom is spending her vacation in town.

John Archer played the organ at the Congregational church Sunday.

W. L. Milham, M. A., '94, is the guest of Mr. Wells.

Beginning with the first Sunday in July, the evening preaching service at the Congregational church will be omitted, and Rev. Mr. Stude will hold a 4 p. m. service at Hemlock Brook schoolhouse. This plan was operated last year with very good results.

The father of Moses Roberts, who died last Friday, was buried yesterday.

Mrs. Clara Maynard Back and daughters were in town last week.

James Rowley, who has been ill with dropsy for several months, is now able to be about the house.

Mrs. Henrietta Cole and family moved into the infirmary Saturday.

Miss Mary Smalley leaves town tomorrow for Ansonia, Conn. Miss Smalley will be absent two weeks.

Miss Ursula S. Noyes is visiting relatives in Lee for a few weeks.

Notices to wheelmen are staring conspicuously from many trees to the effect that bicyclists are not to use the sidewalks of Williamstown for their convenience. Constables and sheriffs have been authorized to enforce the law, which has been in existence sometime, though obscurely. Now there can be no possible doubt of such a law, and the pedestrians can use the sidewalks in peace; their only rivals being the baby carriage and tricycle.

Severance & Co. have, in their new show window, a large display of fireworks, which look well and cause a great deal of envy in the small boys who are continually gathered about it.

Mrs. Patterson of Fitchburg is visiting her mother, Mrs. Noyes King.

Mrs. T. Nelson Dale and daughter Margaret, have returned from a few days' recreation in New York.

SOUTH WILLIAMSTOWN.

A strawberry festival was held at the church last Wednesday evening. There was a fair attendance and \$11 was cleared.

Walter Millard and Dr. G. B. Young of Troy, N. Y., were in town Thursday to attend the funeral of the late A. D. Cole.

Mrs. Williamson and daughter Grace of Troy, N. Y., are spending a short time here with Mrs. Sarah C. Smith.

James Lytle of Williams college, who supplies the Congregational church pulpit, will stay here during the summer vacation. He boards with Mr. and Mrs. Newman Roberts.

A little haying has been done and the work will begin in earnest as soon as the weather is favorable.

J. C. Torrey has bought and will cut the hay on Miss Julia Young's place.

Miss Viola Roberts, a trained nurse who is home from New York on a vacation, has gone to Lenox to serve a short time in her professional capacity.

A son was born June 23 to Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln S. Hickox.

Miss Anna, daughter of Rev. A. F. Morey of Hancock, was the guest of Miss Alice Morey last week.

Cher Sherman of North Adams has turned his handsome gray road horse into H. C. Savage's pasture on the Sabin farm.

Miss Grace Robbins of Pittsfield is spending the week with her aunt, Miss Julia Young.

W. B. Minton and family, who had been spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Galusha, have returned to their home in Madison, N. J.

Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Sanford attended the Sanford-Paradise wedding at Stamford, Vt., last Wednesday.

H. C. Savage is making marked improvements on his summer hotel property, which will be opened August 1. Many North Adams people will be sure to visit the place before the season closes.

The Sagwa medicine men who visited this place recently did a rushing business and placed their remedies in many households.

Dr. A. Mignault of North Adams was among the visitors to South Williamstown Sunday.

The William Drew house is being shingled.

BLACKINTON.

George Ashton left town this morning to join the baseball team at Richfield Springs, N. Y.

Miss Mary E. Pincombe of Wickford, R. I., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Pincombe.

E. W. Blackinton and Charles E. Washburne spent Sunday at Hartfordville, Vt.

GREYLOCK.

Ulric Berard has added a new show case to his ice cream parlor, which he has well stocked with the choicest candies.

The ten per cent. increase in the wages at the mill take effect today.

James W. Maher has completed his work taking the census.

Mrs. Carey and daughter Bertha of North Adams visited friends in town yesterday.

John Robinson and Ulric Berard have started a bicycle agency. They will deal in first-class wheels and keep several to rent.

The Greylocks were defeated Saturday for the first time since the Northern Berkshire league was formed by the Williamstons, score of 12 to 9. As the Blackintons were defeated at North Adams the Greylocks still lead in the champions hip race.

Sick Man Killed Himself.

Boston, July 1.—Gottlieb Richter, 51 years old, committed suicide yesterday by shooting himself. He had been sick for several weeks.

New England Briefs.

Professor Daniel Galy Eaton of Yale is dead.

A fierce hailstorm occurred at London-derry, N. H.

Hugh McDermott killed by a falling derrick at Boston.

Yale decided to accept the Oxford-Cambridge athletic challenge.

Pim and Alimony are tied for first place in Newton tennis tournament.

In the Newport murder trial Anthony Verrill was acquitted.

Vermont Old Fellows received a splendid offer to locate their home in Ludlow.

The University of Vermont bought the Governor Van Ness mansion at Burlington.

Corner-stone of the Congregational church, Melrose Highlands, Mass., was laid.

Father Leyden, the ex-Catholic monk from Boston, was nearly mobbed in Manhattan.

BASEBALL.

Saturday's Games and Standing of the Various Clubs to Date.

The week just closed in the National league found little change in the positions of the various teams. The Boston team still clings to first position, with Baltimore, Pittsburgh and Cleveland bobbing about from first to fourth positions.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.		Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Boston	37	19	.660	Philadelphia	24	24	.500
Baltimore	37	19	.660	Brooklyn	23	25	.481
Pittsburg	42	22	.657	New York	22	26	.458
Cleveland	42	20	.686	Wash'g.	13	31	.293
Chicago	39	24	.617	St. Louis	16	40	.286
Cincinnati	39	24	.617	San Francisco	8	44	.152

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.		Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Fall River	35	10	.775	Portland	19	25	.430
N. Bedford	35	10	.775	Pawtucket	13	25	.340
Bruckton	25	21	.545	Leicester	13	27	.329
Bangor	21	43	.327	Angus	17	41	.294

WEATHER FORECAST.

Fair and Cool.

Special Weather Service, North Adams, Mass., July 1, 1895.

Weather forecast for Massachusetts: Fair except showers on the coast today and tonight, cooler tonight, north to west wind.

Local forecast for North Adams and vicinity until Tuesday night: Fair, with cooler Tuesday, north to northwest wind.

No special feature in temperature, which registers at summer figures in southern part of the county and in general but 5° below in northern states. There is no immediate prospect of any warm wave on the coast.

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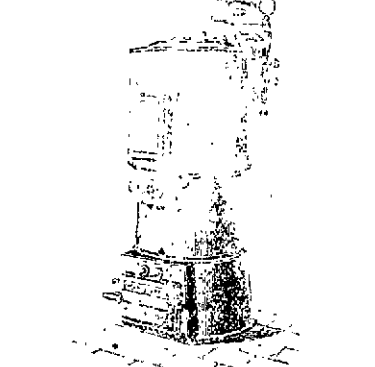
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BANK STREET.

A GAIN IN RECEIPTS.

Interesting Figures Secured From the Public Debt Statement.

Decrease in the Number of National Bonds.

Outlets of Bonds of Some of the More Important Issues.

WASHINGTON, July 1.—The treasury department for the fiscal year just closed is found by today's data statement to be approximately \$1,250,000. This added to last year's deficit of nearly \$700,000 makes the excess of expenditures over receipts of the government this fiscal year, exclusive of postal revenues, amount to nearly \$950,000, and the expenditures \$34,200,000, of which the public debt cost \$11,300,000. Last year the aggregated receipts, exclusive of postal revenues, were \$25,722,000, and the expenditures \$26,672,000.

The receipts this year, therefore, were \$13,250,000 greater than last, and the expenditure about \$11,250,000 less. The postal service deficit is about \$11,000,000, which is considerably in excess of that of any recent year.

The internal revenue department of the government has contributed to the year to the receipts nearly \$10,000,000, as against a little more than \$15,000,000 last year. The customs this year makes a better showing than last by about \$21,000,000. Last year the receipts from this source amounted to nearly \$32,000,000, and this year they approximate \$155,000,000.

Today's debt statement shows an available cash balance of about \$105,000,000, of which about \$107,500,000 is gold reserve. This reserve includes payment in full for the last bond issue, but the statement shows a considerable charge of only \$31,157,500 in bonds, or one-half of the whole amount issued.

In explanation of this seeming error, it is said that the formal transfer of the Leavenworth of the bonds has not yet been made.

The expenditures for July will be exceptionally heavy. Pensions and interest alone are expected to

Amount to \$20,000,000.

During the fiscal year the number of national banks in existence has decreased from 3753 to 3722. Forty-one national banks have been organized during the year, 69 have gone into voluntary liquidation and 36 have been in the hands of receivers. The national bank circulation has increased \$4,337,791, from \$207,854,244 on July 1, 1894, to \$212,192,035 July 1, 1895. From July 18, 1894, to May 7, 1895, the nearest dates to the year obtainable, the loans and discounts of national banks have increased from \$1,338,383,524 to \$1,976,004,445, or about \$637,000,000. During the same time individual deposits have increased from \$1,677,301,200 to \$1,690,961,200, or about \$13,000,000. The lawful money reserve held by banks shows a heavy increase from \$344,105,757 to \$428,961,970, or nearly \$85,000,000.

The operations of some of the more important bureaus of the treasury department during the last fiscal year are briefly outlined as follows:

There were employed under the light-house board in the construction and maintenance of aids to navigation, 32 steam tenders, 6 steam launches and 2 sailing tenders. In supplying light-houses and vessels and caring for buoys the tenders steamed 295,380 miles. There are 3425 persons employed in the light-house establishment, at a cost of about \$100,000,000. Ten new fog signal stations and 47 new lights were established during the year.

Work of the Revenue Service.

The year has been one of unusual interest and importance to the United States revenue cutter service. It has performed special services of a conspicuous nature. Among these are noted the search for the Yamacraw, supposed to have foundered on Sept. 28 last, off Cape Hatteras, on the Pacific, in which three of the vessels, the Yamacraw, the Yamacraw, and the Yamacraw, joined. In winter cruising operations, during the unusually severe weather of the last season, it rendered services to distressed shipping of more than ordinary value and importance. The Dallas alone assisted during the month of February 20 vessels impeded by ice, and during the month of March 28. Six vessels have been named and fully equipped and dispatched to the fishing zone to protect the seal herds and the government interest in Alaska and the seal islands.

The reports of the operations of the life-saving service show that during the last year the total number of disasters to vessels at sea was 44. The great lakes were about 550, of these 478 were on the Atlantic and Gulf coast, 170 on the great lakes and 12 on the Pacific coast. The value of the property involved is given approximately at \$7,615,000. The property lost is estimated at \$1,254,000. Of the 4618 persons on board vessels in distress only 25 were lost, as against 81 last year. The value of the property lost, however, during the year nearly one-half. The total number of vessels lost was 55, as against 91 last year.

The records of the immigration bureau show the number of immigrants who arrived in this country during the year to be approximately 245,327, a decrease for the year of 28,804. Of the whole number of arrivals about 250 were returned from landings and deported to the port whence they came.

The total number of government buildings now under construction by the supervising architect of the treasury is 44, contemplating a total expenditure under existing budget of cost of \$1,500,000. The number of buildings now completed is 122, involving an expenditure of \$43,241,182. The total number of completed buildings now under the control of the treasury department is 245.

During the last 12 months, the officers of the secret service have made more arrests of counterfeiters than during any other in the history of the service.

Jury Disagreed.

DETROIT, July 1.—The jury in the trial of Dr. Dennis J. Scammon, charged with the responsibility of Emily Hall's death on account of a criminal operation, came into court yesterday afternoon and announced a disagreement. The jury was discharged and another trial of the case will be begun.

Italians in a Bad Fight.

SCRANTON, Pa., July 1.—A fight among drunken Italians at Pecksville last night caused the death of one man and the final wounding of two others. All parties had been drinking, and the origin of the row is not known. Knives and pistols were freely used.

Disagrees With Zella.

THENTON, July 1.—George J. Gould has filed an answer to the suit brought against him by Zella Nicolaus Ruhman to recover \$40,000, the amount of a check which she says Mr. Gould took from her. The answer declares the defendant "Not guilty of the said supposed grievances or any part of them."

A Clear Track.

AUSTIN, July 1.—State Comptroller Finley has issued a license for the Corbett-Fitzsimmons fight on Oct. 31, at Dallas. This practically assures the success of the affair as far as the clubs are concerned.

PEIXOTO DEAD.

Ex-President of Brazil Succumbs to Combination of Diseases.

RIO DE JANEIRO, July 1.—The report of the death of ex-President Peixoto of Brazil has reached here. It is impossible to get details, owing to the distance from Rio de Janeiro to Peixoto's home.



EX-PRESIDENT PEIXOTO.

The ex-president expected to leave his home for Rio de Janeiro Saturday afternoon, when he was attacked with the fatal disease, a combination of beriberi fever and abscess of the liver. He was comatose until 9:30 o'clock p. m., when he died. Physicians were at once summoned from Rio de Janeiro to embalm the body.

Duty's Scandalous Doings.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 1.—The Chronicle says that by the next vessel that sails for Tahiti the state department will forward a stern reprimand to J. L. Duty, consul at Tahiti. The marriage of Consul Duty to a native Tahiti girl was according to natives' rites. The only legal marriages recognized by the French government, which has dominion of Tahiti, is that performed according to French laws. The news of this mock marriage, together with reports of Duty's inattention to business, have reached Washington, and the reprimand is the result.

In Insurgent's Behalf.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Rev. J. A. B. Wilson spoke yesterday on "The Liberation of Cuba and the Duty of American Patriotism." He declared that Cuba was appealing to America for help. The example of our liberty had a widespread effect, and he declared our flag secured no more respect by the Spaniards in Cuba than a dishrag. He declared it was a duty of ours to liberate Cuba. He closed by appealing for a Moses from Washington to lead the Cubans out of bondage.

Wesley's Chances Are Slim.

LONDON, July 1.—The Chronicle gives prominence to a rumor circulated that General Lord Roberts will be the new commander-in-chief of the army. The Chronicle says that undoubtedly the Liberal cabinet had intended to appoint General Wolsley, who has strong claims to this position as an administrator and a reformer. It is believed, however, that Lord Salisbury has never forgotten a certain speech of General Wolsley on army reform.

Killed Wife and Another.

PITTSBURGH, July 1.—Harry Mason is in jail here for the murder of his wife and Isaac Adrain. Mason had accused his wife of unfaithfulness, and said he would kill her at the earliest opportunity. Mason attacked his wife in a boat, but the others pulled him off, and in the fight the others were lost. Then Mason deliberately upset the boat, drowning his wife and Adrain.

Prospect of Another War.

TACOMA, July 1.—Norwegian steamer Oscar 11, 18 days from Vladivostok, Siberia, brings news that the indications are good for another Oriental war. Captain Sanderson says, unknown to the outside world, Russia has massed 80,000 men at Vladivostok and it is believed in Siberia that the preparations are being made for an advance upon Japan.

Side Doors Closed.

NEW YORK, July 1.—Since the inauguration of Mayor Strong it has been almost impossible, in many sections of the city, to procure liquor on Sunday. The climax of "dry" Sunday was reached yesterday, however. Those who were daring enough to attempt to offend the excise laws by selling liquors were generally arrested without delay.

Lightning Struck a Church.

CORNOTA, Md., July 1.—Lightning struck the rear end of the Baptist church, which was well filled, inflicting considerable damage and severely shocking the congregation. In a hurried adjournment the church, Arvel Randall and two horses were instantly killed.

Mark Again.

KEY WEST, July 1.—The British schooner Attica, Captain Artaga, 44 tons, 10 days from Nassau, has arrived here. A Cuban authority said that one of the five passengers of the Attica may be Jose Marti, notwithstanding all the news of his death.

Corbett and Sullivan Partners.

CHICAGO, July 1.—John L. Sullivan and James J. Corbett will probably be in the same theatrical company next year. While no contract has been made with Sullivan as yet, a verbal agreement exists that he is binding on both sides.

A Whiteway Victory.

ST. JOHNS, N. F., July 1.—The White-way members here finally succeeded in subduing the rebels to their demands. They will receive full settlement pay. It is not likely that the attachment measures ever will be heard of again.

Aging in Harmony.

MEXICO, July 1.—President Diaz returned yesterday from a harmonious conference between the presidents of Nicaragua, Honduras and Salvador at Amoyagua, regarding plans for the Central American union.

Queen Transfers Seats.

WINSTON, July 1.—The visiting cabinet ministers exchanged their seats of office to the queen at Windsor castle yesterday afternoon, and later her majesty presented the seals to the incoming minister.

Specie Movements.

NEW YORK, July 1.—The exports of specie from the port of New York for the past week amounted to \$12,200 in gold and \$74,799 in silver. The imports were: Gold, \$1,201,271; silver, \$109,529.

A Dental.

LONDON, July 1.—The Times denies that Sir Graham Butler has been appointed governor of Newfoundland.

A Pittsfield Sensation.

PITTSFIELD, July 1.—George Dennison, a local artist, recently received a commission to paint several costly nude pictures. He had no difficulty in securing five good models in this city. Some church women, it is reported, remonstrated with the artist without avail.

A Good Capture.

BOSTON, July 1.—Liquor officers boarded the pleasure barge Clifford in the harbor yesterday afternoon and arrested 19 men for illegally selling liquor. One hundred and fifty-one gallons of lager beer and 49 gallons of wine were seized.

AN UNEXPECTED HITCH

Chance: Disappointment to Those Interested in the Defender.

Cradle Stuck by Swelling of the Ways' Woodwork.

Boy Ma. How to Be Performed to Carry Out the Lamenting.

BOSTON, R. I., July 1.—The attempt to transfer the body of the Defender yesterday afternoon to the Bunker Hill yards has caused a great deal of talk among the thousands of people who gathered at that time to see the beautiful craft take her first plunge.

All efforts to release the boat have proved futile, and she is still fast in the same position into which she sank during the unsuccessful attempt to launch her.

At intervals during Saturday night and yesterday, when the tide swept, boats and divers were at work, under the direction of the Herreshoff's, applying every means in their power to release the yacht, but each time as the tide receded the work had to be abandoned.

The fears felt by the builders and others that the yacht may become injured by the strain of her position have not abated, and after a thorough inspection of the boat's position by the divers, the builders were convinced that the bow of the yacht must be lightened by pontoons to relieve the strain as much as possible during the further work of getting her into deep water.

Steel hawsers were attached to the cradle yesterday afternoon, and tugs took them aboard and started to pull at the obstructions. The strain was too great, and the gearing on one of the tugs and the hawser held by the other stopped. From this it is feared that the work of releasing the boat will be much more difficult than was anticipated up to that time.

The mooted question seems to be whether an unlucky beginning presages or whether it is the forerunner of a series of mishaps which may be the lot of America's representative yacht, a status in yachting from which the American cap defenders for years

Have Been Singularly Free.

When the boat stopped everyone thought she had stuck in the mud. Others believed that the end of the cradle had protruded beyond the ways and rested on the bottom, and even the Herreshoffs were of this opinion. The tugs Adquidneck and Bay Point hitched on, and they began pulling steadily and strongly. Their efforts were unavailing, and so Cornelius Vanderbilt's yacht Conqueror sent out a line to the Defender and then all three steam craft in united efforts once again attempted to move the stationary hull.

After the strain had been applied for half a minute there was a loud noise, a snapping of ropes and a creaking of machinery, and then a part of the conqueror's stern was seen to fly into the air and fall into the water. The strain had been too great for the windlass bits of this yacht, and they were completely carried away.

The submarine diver, W. J. Duncan, thoroughly inspected the cradle and examined her position. When he reported that the boat was not in the mud, but that the cradle had stuck fast in the ways, Mr. Duncan's theory was that the piles or joists had swollen after being placed in the water, so that when the cradle came down, the ways were so tight they would not allow it to pass through.

Nat Herreshoff takes the unexpected hitch solely to heart, which is not at all surprising.

Must Wait Longer.

Operations were resumed at the Herreshoff dock by Nat Herreshoff and a gang of workmen at 1:30 this morning. A 17-inch hawser from the tug Night Arrow was made fast to the cradle. Smaller cables were run out from the other craft, and the work given for a grand pull. The tugs responded, straining and snarling, but the hull did not move. For nearly an hour this work was continued without effect, and at 2:25 a. m. Captain Herreshoff gave orders to cease operations.

It was decided to try pontoons, and a number of 40-foot lighters have already been ordered. With these placed in position, and a hull at low tide it is hoped to lift the Defender out of her cramped position so that she may be towed clear of all obstructions as the tide rises this afternoon.

The Defender's Dimensions.

The exact dimensions of the Defender are as follows: Length of mast, 98 feet; diameter of mast at heel, 35 inches; diameter of mast at step, 18 inches; depth between keelson and deck, 12 feet; length of splices on top of mast, 19 feet; length of boom, 100 feet; diameter of boom, 12 inches; length of bowsprit, 42 feet; length of topmast, 64 feet; length of gaff, 64 feet; length of spinnaker pole, 75 feet; length of club topsail yards, 52 feet; length of boom over all, 124 feet; length of water line, 81 ft. 6 in.; breadth of beam, 24 feet.

TWO FIREMEN KILLED.

Floor of a Burning Building at Worcester Unexpectedly Gave Way.

WORCESTER, July 1.—A fire in the rag shop of the Hubby Manufacturing company in Brimley street yesterday caused the death of two firemen and injured eight others, and caused a financial loss of about \$400. The dead are: W. F. Brigham, a member of hose 4, and Lieutenant J. J. Boyle of the same company.

Hose 4 was one of the first pieces of apparatus to reach the fire, and attacked it on the top story. Without warning the floor collapsed and fell, carrying the two firemen underneath it into the cellar. The men were down with it and were crushed under the ruins and piles of rags. Boyle's back was broken under the crush of the timbers, and Brigham was smothered under the piles of rags. The rest of the men escaped with their lives, but it took the rescuing party three hours to get to them and remove them from the debris.

Shot His Wife.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., July 1.—Henry Mallin shot his wife yesterday afternoon at the home of her mother on Pembroke street, and then attempted to end his own life. He went to see his wife, with whom he has not lived for a long time, and while in the house suddenly pulled a 38-caliber revolver. Two shots were fired, the first bullet striking her between the shoulder blades, the second going wide of the mark, and the last aimed at his own heart. A suspender buckle beneath the sweater which he wore turned it aside, and he was not injured. The injured woman was taken to the hospital, and the physicians believe the wound will not prove fatal unless complications set in. Mallin had been drinking.

A Ten Per Cent Advance.

LEWISTON, July 1.—Another of Lewiston's largest corporations has voluntarily increased the wages of its employees. This time it is the Lewiston Bleachery and Dye works, and the increase will average 10 per cent. The bleachery is the fourth of the large corporations in Lewiston to announce an increase in wages within two weeks. The increase in these four corporations amounts to over \$100,000 a month.

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